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Westminster, May 20.

THIS Day His Majesty came to the House of Peers, and being in His Royal Robes seated on the Throne with the usual Solemnity, Sir Francis Molyneux, Knt. Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, was sent with a Message from His Majesty to the House of Commons, commanding their Attendance in the House of Peers. The Commons being come thither accordingly, His Majesty was pleased to give the Royal Assent to,

An Act for raising the Sum of One Million, Five Hundred Thousand Pounds, by way of Annuities and a Lottery, attended with Annuities, to be charged on the Sinking Fund.

An Act for granting to His Majesty additional Duties upon certain Linen Cloth imported, and for carrying such Duties, together with the additional Duites, granted in this Session of Parliament, upon the Importation of Bast, or Straw, Chip, Cane, and Horse-Hair Hats and Bonnets, and certain Materials for making the same, to the Sinking Fund

An Act for redeeming the Remainder of the Joint Stock of Annuities, established by an Act, made in the Third Year of His present Majesty's Reign, in respect of several Navy, Victualling, and Transport Bills, and Ordnance Debentures.

An Act for redeeming One Fourth Part of the Joint Stock of Annuities, established by an Act, made in the Third Year of His present Majesty's Reign, intituled, "An Act for granting to His "Majesty several Additional Duties upon Wines "imported into this Kingdom, and certain Du- "ties upon all Cyder and Perry; and for raising "the Sum of Three Millions, Five Hundred "Thousand Pounds, by Way of Annuities and "Lotteries, to be charged on the said Duties."

An Act for allowing the free Importation of Rice, Sago Powder, and Vermicelli, into this Kingdom, from His Majesty's Colonies in North America for a limited Time.

An Act for explaining an Act, made in the Twenty-ninth Year of the Reign of Queen Elizabeth, to prevent Extortion in Sheriffs, Under Sheriffs, and Bailiffs of Franchises, or Liberties, in Cases of Execution.

An Act to amend an Act, made in the Fifth Year of His present Majesty, for amending the Road from Chatteris Ferry, through Chatteris and March, to Wisbech St. Peters, from thence to Tid Gote, in the Isle of Ely; and from Wisbech aforesaid, through Outwell, to Downham Bridge, in the County of Norfolk; and for repealing the several Acts for repairing the said Road, between Wisbech and March; and also for charging certain Lands in Waldersea, and on Wisbech South Side, towards the Repairs of the Waldersea and South Side Banks, which before the passing of the said Act were liable to such Repairs.

An Act for repairing and widening the Road leading from the Turnpike Road, in the Town of Tenterden, to and over Bull-Green, and to and through the Town of Great Chart, to a House, known by the Sign of the Castle, at the Entrance of the Town of Ashford, in the County of Kent; and also the Road leading from Bull-Green aforesaid, to Hothfield Heath; and also the Road leading from Bull Green aforesaid, through High Halden, to Dashmanden, in the Parish of Biddenden, in the said County of Kent.

An Act for repairing and widening the Road, from Shaddon Gate, near Carlisle, to the present Turnpike Road at Mulaside, and from a Place in the said Turnpike Road, between Binsey Mires and North Raw Gate, to join the Turnpike Road at Skillbeck, in the County of Cumberland.

An Act to enlarge the Term and Powers of an Act, made in the Twenty-ninth Year of King George the Second, for making a Road from the East Side of St. Matthew, Bethnal Green, in the County of Middlesex, to the East End of Church-Street; and to open a Way into Shoreditch; and for repairing, paving, and regulating Old Cock-Lane, New Cock-Lane, Church Street, and the Road on the West Side of the Opening into Shoreditch; and for removing Nuisances and Obstructions therefrom, and preventing the same for the future.

An Act to continue and render more effectual Three Acts, for repairing the Highways between Tyburn and Uxbridge, in the County of Middlesex; and for amending the Road leading from Brent Bridge, over Hanwell Heath, through the Parishes of Hanwell, New Brentford, and Ealing, to the Great Western Road, in the said County; and for lighting, watching, and watering the Highway between Tyburn and Kensington Gravel Pits.

An Act for enlarging the Term and Powers of an Act, made in the Fourteenth Year of the Reign of his late Majesty, intituled, "An Act "for repairing the Road from Doncaster, through "the Parish of Penistone, in the County of York, "to Salter's Brook, in the County of Chester, and "also the Road from Rotherham, in the said "County of York, to Hartcliffe Hill, in the said "Parish of Penistone," and for making the said Act more effectual, so far as the same relates to the said Road, between Rotherham and Hartcliffe Hill.

An Act for repairing and widening the Road from Marchwiel, in the County of Denbigh, through Bangor, Worthenbury, and Hanmer, in the County of Flint, to a House in the Possession of Thomas Jenks, in Dodington, in the Parish of Whitchurch, in the County of Salop, and from Bangor aforesaid, to Malpas, in the County of Chester, and from Redbrook to Hampton, in the said County of Salop.

An Act for establishing and well governing a General Hospital, to be called Addenbroke's Hospital, in the Town of Cambridge.

An Act for extending the Royalty of the City of Edinburgh, over certain adjoining Lands, and for giving Powers to the Magistrates of Edinburgh, for the Benefit of the said City; and to enable His Majesty to grant Letters Patents for establishing a Theatre in the City of Edinburgh, or Suburbs thereof.

An Act for making navigable a Brook, called Codbeck, from the River Swale, to the Borough of Thirsk, in the County of York.

An Act for the more effectual draining the Lands,

[Price Three-Pence.]

Lands, lying in the Level of [illegible] in the County of Lincoln, and making the River Ancholme navigable, from the River Humber, at or near a Place called Ferraby Sluice, in the County of Lincoln, to the Town of Glarnford Briggs, and for continuing the said Navigation up or near to the said River, from thence to Bishop Briggs, in the said County of Lincoln.

An Act for improving the Navigation of the River Hull and Frodingham Beck, from Ake Beck Mouth, to the Clough, on the East Corner of Fishholme, and for extending the said Navigation from the said Clough, into or near the Town of Great Driffield, in the East Riding of the County of York.

And to Twenty nine Private Bills.

Stockholm, May 5. M. de Breteuil set out last Friday Morning for Paris: and the Abbé du Prat is charged with the Affairs of France during his Absence.

Copenhagen, May 12. On Saturday the 9th Instant, their Royal and Serene Highnesses Prince Charles of Hesse and the Princess Louisa sat out from hence for Hanau: They were accompanied as far as Roskeld by their Danish Majesties and Prince Frederick of Hesse. As her Royal Highness is some Months advanced in her Pregnancy, it is thought she will return here early in the Summer, or remain at Hanau till the ensuing one.

St. James's, May 23, 1767.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That Mr. Alexander Gordon, Collector of the Customs at Ayr, in that Part of His Majesty's Kingdom of Great-Britain called Scotland, having been at Irvine on Thursday the 5th of March last, set out from thence the next Day, on his Return to Ayr, in Company with Mr. William Herries, Merchant at Ayr, and John Mac Murtrie, Tide-Officer at the same Place; That, about Seven o'Clock in the Evening of the same Day, (the 6th of March) when the said Persons were near the Parks of Fullarton, there were, from behind a Hedge, Two different Guns fired at them, by which the Horse of William Herries was shot dead on the Spot; That, thereupon, the said Gordon and Mac Murtrie galloped away, and the said Herries was seized by Four or Five Persons armed, who expressed the most determined Resolution instantly to murder him, (supposing him to be the said Alexander Gordon) but, on being convinced by him of their Mistake, some of them rode after the said Mr. Gordon, but happily did not overtake him; That a Precognition of this Matter having been taken by the Sheriff of Ayr, it was discovered, in the Course thereof, that Four of the Persons, supposed to have been guilty of this Crime, have absconded, who, it is said, went on Board an Irish Sloop called the Royal George, which, about the Beginning of April last, smuggled a Cargo at the Troon Point; and that such Smuggling Vessels from Ireland generally rendezvouz at Russ, sometimes at the Skerries, and sometimes at Dublin; That it is highly probable, from the Evidence in the said Precognition, that these Four Men were concerned in the Design of Assassinating the said Mr. Gordon; and also that many more were in that Conspiracy against him: His Majesty therefore, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the said wicked Attempt to assassinate the said Mr. Alexander Gordon, Collector of His Majesty's Customs at Ayr, as aforesaid, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon, and also a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, *to any one of them, (except the Person or Persons who actually fired the said Guns, as above-mentioned) who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof; the said Reward of* Two Hundred Pounds *to be paid by the Right Honorable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Offenders.*

H. S. CONWAY.

Of the Four Persons who have absconded, viz.

WILLIAM STRACHAN, Servant to David Dunlop in Sculloch Mill, short Hair and middle sized, brown Complexion, aged about 20 Years, born in the Parish of Mounton and Shire of Ayr.

MATHEW REID, Servant to Robert Fulton in Correth, black Complexioned, with his own Hair, and six Feet high, aged about 27 Years, born in ditto

JAMES GRAY, Servant to James Vallans in Loans, dark Complexioned, with his own Hair, and middle sized, aged about 20, born in ditto.

DAVID HUNTER at Willochston, and Servant to Robert Alison in Correth, Red Hair, and middle sized, aged about 20, born in the Town of Prestick and ditto Parish.

They were all serving in the Parish of Dundonald and Shire of Ayr.

Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich, May 19, 1767.

Notice is hereby given, that such Persons as may be willing to purchase, together or in Parcels, the Dues *of* Lead Ore, *raised and to be raised from Michaelmas last to Michaelmas next, within the Manor of* Alston Moor *in the County of Cumberland, may deliver in their Proposals (sealed up) to the Directors of this Hospital, at* Salters Hall *in* London, *on Wednesday the* 17*th Day of next Month, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon; or, before the Friday preceding, to Messr Walton and Smeaton, at Farnacres near Newcastle upon Tyne.*

Jn° Ibbetson.

N. B. It is expected Security will be given by the Purchaser or Purchasers respectively, before the Delivery begins, for Payment of the Money on or before the 25*th of March* 1768.

FOR SALE,

By Order of the Honourable Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, &c. (in Pursuance of an Act of Parliament of the Third Year of His present Majesty) on Monday the 25*th, Tuesday the* 26*th, and Wednesday the* 27*th of May,* 1767, *at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, will be put up to Sale in the Long Room in the Custom-House, London, the following Goods, which are allotted in small Quantities for the better Accommodation of the several Dealers, as well as Private Persons, who chuse to become Purchasers.*

Brandy, Rum, Geneva, Arrack, Shrub, Anniseed and Cordial Waters, Bohea and Green Tea, Raw and Roasted Coffee, Open Tapes, Chip Hats, Worsted Yarn, Cheevels, Lamb Skins dressed in the Wool, Yellow Berries, and Tobacco Ashes.

Also such Goods as have remained in His Majesty's Warehouses upwards of Six Months, not cleared or the Duties paid, viz.

Marble and Brown Paper, Looking-Glasses and Ornaments for a Dessert, Cedar Cones, Books, Pictures, Paper Prints, Chrystal or Paste Stones, Hessian Canvas, old Wearing Apparel, English Woollen Cloth, Norwich Crapes, Shalloon, French Bead Necklaces, Cheese, Drugs, Wine, Hardware, Glass Ware, and sundry Sorts of other Goods and Merchandizes, as mentioned in the Catalogue. Clear of all Duties.

The Tobacco Ashes to be seen at the Tobacco Ground near the Wet Dock, Rotherhithe; and the Rest of the Goods to be seen or tasted at the King's Warehouse at the Custom-house, London, on Thursday the 21*st, Friday the* 22*d, and Saturday the* 23*d of May instant, from Eight in the Morning to One in the Afternoon, and on the Mornings before the Sale; where Catalogues will be delivered.*

East-India House, May 21, 1767.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies, do hereby give Notice,

That a General Court of the said Company will be held at Merchant Taylors Hall in Threadneedle-Street, on Monday next the 25*th Instant; at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, on special Affairs, being at the Desire of Nine Proprietors.*

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The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England Trading to the East Indies, do hereby Notice,

That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Wednesday the 24th of June next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.

That the Transfer Books of the said Company's Stock will be shut on Thursday the 18th Day of June next, at Two of the Clock, and opened again on Tuesday the 14th of July following.

And that the Dividend Warrants on the said Stock, due the 5th Day of July next, will be ready to be delivered on Wednesday the 5th Day of August following.

A Quarterly General Court of the Governors of the Bounty of Queen Anne, for the Augmentation of the Maintenance of the Poor Clergy, will be held at their House in Dean's Yard, Westminster, on Friday the 5th Day of June next.

New Shoreham Pier.

This is to give Notice, there will be a General Meeting of the Commissioners for the Harbour of New Shoreham held on Thursday the 4th Day of June next, at the House of John Kemp, bearing the Sign of the Star, in New Shoreham, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon. Wm. Foster, *Treasurer.*

Shoreham, May 20, 1767.

The SCHEME of the LOTTERY, for the Year 1767.

No of Prizes.		Value of each. £		Total Value. £
1	of	20000	is	20000
3	—	10000	—	30000
4	—	5000	—	20000
10	—	2000	—	20000
18	—	1000	—	18000
42	—	500	—	21000
200	—	100	—	20000
610	—	50	—	30500
20950	—	20	—	419000
21838	Prizes			598500
		First Drawn		500
38162	Blanks.	Last Drawn		1000
60000	Tickets at 10l. each			600000

N. B. Not one Blank and three Quarters to a Prize.

The Prizes to be transferable Annuities at the Bank of England, bearing 3 per Cent. per Annum.

The Tickets and Shares are now selling by Receipt by HAZARD and Co. Stock-Brokers, at their Office under the Royal Exchange, and at their House in Ludgate-street.

☞ Begins drawing the 16th of November.

Monday the 4th Day of May, in the Seventh Year of the Reign of His Majesty King George the Third, 1767, between Legh Richmond, Clerk, Plaintiff, John Hulme, Defendant.

UPON the humble Petition of the Plaintiff this Day preferred unto the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls, for the Reasons therein, and in the Affidavit therein mentioned, contained; His Honor doth, upon Reading the Six Clerks Certificate, and the said Affidavit, order, that the said Defendant do appear to the Plaintiff's Bill on or before the 1st Day of Trinity Term next.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against William Gurr, late of Newgate-Street, London, Haberdasher, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Wednesday next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall Coffee-House, London, in order to empower the said Assignees to adjust Matters in Dispute, or commence one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity for Recovering Part of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; and also for compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Matters relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Holland, of the City of Gloucester, Mercer, Dealer and Chapman, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Friday the 29th Day of May Instant, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall Coffee-house near Guildhall, London, to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity touching the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; and submitting to Arbitration any Matter in Dispute, compounding, or agreeing the same; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Ann Scott and Isaac Scott, of Cousen-Lane, Thames-Street, London, Merchants, Dry-Salters and Copartners, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate, on Thursday next, the 28th instant, at One o'Clock precisely, at Garraway's Coffee-House in Exchange Alley, London, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity; and to their compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter in Dispute relating to the said Bankrupt's Estate; and on other special Affairs.

PUrsuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for William Paine, now or late of the Parish of St. Mary le Bonne in the County of of Middlesex, Brick-maker, (a Bankrupt) to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for Forty-nine Days, to be computed from the 19th Day of May instant; This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named and authorized, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 7th Day of July next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the said Bankrupt is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the same, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

PUrsuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Stuart Beard, of Devereux-Court in the Parish of St. Clement Danes in the County of Middlesex, Merchant, (a Bankrupt) to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for Forty-nine Days, to be computed from the 19th Day of May instant; This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named and authorized, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 7th Day of July next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the said Bankrupt is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the same, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

PUrsuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Charles Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for Isaac Scott, late of Thames-Street, London, Dry-Salter, and Copartner with Ann Scott, of the same Place, Widow, (a Bankrupt) to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, for Forty-nine Days, to be computed from the 19th Day of May instant; This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named and authorized, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 7th Day of July next, at Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the said Bankrupt is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination; and the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are then and there to come and prove the same, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Lawrance Wingfield, of the Parish of St. Bride's in the City of London, Branch-maker, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 27th Day of May instant, on the 3d Day of June next, and on the 4th Day of July following, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Holl, Attorney at Law, in Duke-Street, York-Buildings.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Bean, now or late of London, Mariner and Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 6th and 20th Days of June next, and on the 4th Day of July following, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Life, in Basinghall-Street, London.